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May 24, 2010

MEMORANDUM 2010 - 10

**TO: ALL COUNTY ENGINEERS AND DIVISION COUNTY
TRANSPORTATION ENGINEERS**

FROM:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "D. E. Phillips, Jr.".

**D. E. Phillips, Jr., P.E.
State County Transportation Engineer**

RE: 2010 Vegetation Management Training

Please find the attached schedule for the subject training

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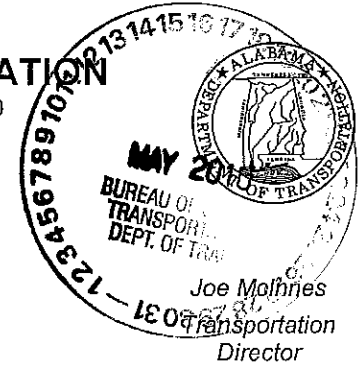


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May 14, 2010

MEMORANDUM

TO: Mr. Johnny Harris Mr. DeJarvis Leonard Mr. J. M. Griffin
 Mr. James D. Brown Ms. Dee Rowe Mr. Curtis Vincent
 Mr. Brian C. Davis Mr. John E. Lorentson Mr. Vincent E. Calametti

FROM:

Kerry C. NeSmith
 Kerry C. NeSmith, Asst. State Maintenance Engineer, Management & Training

ATTN: Maintenance Engineers

RE: 2010 Vegetation Management Training

The Maintenance Bureau of the Alabama Department of Transportation will once again be conducting a series of training sessions covering the ALDOT Vegetation Management Program. One session will be held in each of the nine Divisions located throughout the State; each meeting will begin promptly at 9:00 AM and will conclude around 3:30 PM. The dates and locations are as follows:

September 21, 2010	1 st Division Auditorium in Guntersville
September 22, 2010	2 nd Division Auditorium in Tuscumbia
September 23, 2010	3 rd Division Auditorium in Birmingham
October 26, 2010	5 th Division Auditorium in Tuscaloosa
October 27, 2010	6 th Division Training Facility in Montgomery (Chisholm Street)
October 28, 2010	4 th Division Auditorium in Alexander City
November 2, 2010	7 th Division Auditorium in Troy
November 3, 2010	9 th Division Building N Training Facility in Mobile
November 4, 2010	8 th Division Auditorium in Grove Hill

The Maintenance Bureau has reserved the respective locations for the dates listed above; however, we would ask that you have your Division personnel confirm the reserved date. Each Division should invite city, county and other local personnel that would benefit from this class. We also ask that the County Transportation Bureau notify county personnel of the training dates.

The training sessions will be conducted by employees of ALDOT as well as academic and industry representatives. Those in attendance will be ALDOT, city, and county personnel and other interested individuals from the ROW maintenance industry. 10 points towards Applicator Permit Re-certification for **ROW and Demonstration & Research categories** will be awarded to participants.

ALDOT attendees should be selected based upon their involvement – operational, administrative, supervisory, or other support role in ROW Vegetation Management. No registration is required; however, class enrollment should be made through your respective Division Training Coordinators.

If you should have any questions or comments concerning this matter please contact this office.

Attachment

C: D.E. Phillips
Ron Newsome
Howard Peavey
Jacob Hodnett
Jonathan Woodham
Cheryl Klein
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**Alabama Department of Transportation
Vegetation Management Training
2010 Program Agenda**

9:00 A.M.	Ron Newsome , Asst. State Maintenance Engineer - Welcome & Introductions - Maintenance Management Update
9:30 A.M.	Howard Peavey , ALDOT Agronomist - Miscellaneous Herbicide Issues
10:00 A.M.	Herbicide Industry Representative - Industry Updates
10:30 A.M.	BREAK
10:50 A.M.	Dr. Jason Belcher , Auburn University - Herbicide Activity ??? What to look for
11:20 A.M.	Howard Peavey , ALDOT Agronomist - Tractor Calibration
Noon	LUNCH
1:00 P.M.	Jonathan Woodham , ALDOT Agronomist - Ornamental Pruning & Fertilization
1:20 P.M.	DR. Jason Belcher , Auburn University - Herbicide Research Update (Broadleaf Control & Grass Seed Head Suppression)
1:50 P.M.	BREAK
2:10 P.M.	DR. Jason Belcher , Auburn University - Herbicide Research Update (Invasive Plants)
2:40 P.M.	Jacob Hodnett , ALDOT Agronomist - Herbicide Inventory Issues
3:00 P.M.	Howard Peavey , ALDOT Agronomist - EPA / NPDES Update
3:30 P.M.	ADJOURN